## Citizen Resolution # 270320

(For Hearing Officer completion)



## Reduced Price Senior Citizen Sportsperson and Conservation Patron Licenses

Sportsperson and Conservation Patron combination licenses provide improved purchasing convenience and a cost reduction to regular full price customers. When the reduced price licenses and vehicle admission stickers available to senior citizens are considered, the Sportsperson license becomes a cost penalty and the Conservation Patron license cost save is significantly reduced.

|                 | Regular | Senior     | Sportsperson |
|-----------------|---------|------------|--------------|
| General Fishing | \$20    | <b>\$7</b> | Included     |
| Small Game      | \$18    | \$9        | Included     |
| Gun Deer        | \$24    | \$24       | Included     |
| TOTAL           | \$62    | \$40       | \$60         |

The DNR website states that purchasing a Conservation Patron license results in a cost save in excess of \$130. This cost save is reduced by \$37 for senior citizens due to the availability of reduced price general fishing, small game and state park vehicle admission stickers.

Most of our senior citizens live on fixed incomes. The establishment of reduced cost Sportsperson and Conservation Patron senior citizen licenses would allow them to take advantage of the convenience of combination license purchases without financial penalty and increase the likelihood of them continuing to participate in outdoor recreational activities.

Do you support a Conservation Congress recommendation to the DNR to establish reduced price senior citizen Sportsperson and Conservation Patron licenses?

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